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Sir:

In response to the Final Action mailed September 10, 2004,
and in order to place this case in condition for immediate allowance
or in better form for appeal, applicant hereby requests the entry of
the following amendment to the application:

Amendments to the Specification: None.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims
which begins on page 2 of this paper

Amendments to the Drawings: None.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.